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27 September 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Agency Regulation on Payment of Night Differential

25X1 1. I received a call on the afternoon of 27 September from
25X1 [redacted] Deputy Director of Personnel. He said he had
25X1 received a call from [redacted] Policy and Planning Staff,
Office of Finance. [redacted] had noted that Personnel, Finance, and
General Counsel received identical memorandums from the Inspector
General requesting views on the validity of the provision of
25X1 [redacted] concerning payment of night differential in conjunction
25X1 with compensation for overtime. [redacted] asked [redacted] if the three
addressees should get together and agree on a single reply to the
Inspector General.

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25X1 2. [redacted] called to ask our preference--whether we wanted a
25X1 joint reply or individual replies from each of the addressees. I
told [redacted] that [redacted] had sent separate memorandums in order to avoid
requiring the addressees to get together and agree on a joint
response. We thought it preferable for each office to arrive at
its views independently so that we might have the benefit of opposing
views if there should be disagreement. I also told Bob that I would
admit to a certain amount of deviousness in that I hoped to find
at least one addressee who agreed with my own viewpoint. Bob said
he thought it likely that all replies would support the IG position.

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